



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Paul V. Lehmann *et al.*
Serial No.: 08/621,725
Filed: 03/21/96
Entitled: METHODS FOR INDUCING IMMUNITY

Group No.: 1644
Examiner: R. Schwadron

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Sir:

The following communication is responsive to the Office Action, mailed February 9, 1999. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the Application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the Claims as follows:

18. (Thrice Amended) A method of [immunizing] detecting Th1 and Th2 directed immunity generated in a human, comprising:

a) providing: i) a human, ii) a microwell comprising a hydrophobic membrane that has been precoated with a first cytokine binding ligand, and iii) an immunizing preparation comprising myelin basic protein and Incomplete Freund's Adjuvant;

b) immunizing said human with said immunizing preparation;

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